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I think it would be rather simple:

Get the PC manufacturers out from under the MS boot.

1. Give licenses to MS OS to anyone that asks under non-discriminatory licenses. MS should not be able to use the threat of rescinding licenses to prevent computer users from putting software from other companies in their boxes.

2. Allow companies to bundle any software they want with their hardware without conditions from MS. If a manufacturer wants to put an AOL icon on their desktop, they should not be forced to also put an MSN icon in the desktop. This is particularly galling when you consider that AOL offered \$35 per subscribed and MS offered nothing.

There's plenty more, but I am certain you have heard it before.

Respectfully,
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